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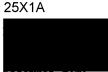
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- 1. The Bolivian Trotskyite party, the Partido Obrero Revolucionario (POR), is reported to be receiving funds from lexico for its operations in Bolivia. Most of the money is in United States ten dollar bills, and is transmitted concealed between pages of a book. The pages are glued together at all edges when the bills have been placed between them. A book prepared in this manner would simply appear upon casual observation to have been freshly printed, with the pages yet uncut. A large number of bills can be successfully hidden in one volume in this manner.
- 2. The packages of books are prepared in Moxico City and bear the return address of Jorge Santiago, Lucha Obrera, Apertado 9240, Texico, D.F. They are sent to small bookshops in La Faz and Cochabamba, which have made arrangement to deliver then to FOR headquarters. The books used are usually of a non-political nature and would attract little attention if they were placed on display in any bookshop.
- 3. According to a report from Nexico, "Jorge Santiago" is a pseudonym used by Rodrigo Garcia Trevino, director of Lucha Obrera, official organ of the Trotskyite group in Mexico.
- The Mexico party, which never had great influence, lost many of its numbers after Trotsky's death, and is now believed to have fewer than 200 members and sympathizer This group has always been in a bad financial condition and does not have funds for propaganda or other activities. As a result, Lucha Obrera appears only at irregular intervals, although it is supposed to be published twice a month. 25X1X the Mexican group does not have funds to finance Trotskyite

activities in other countries.

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